Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health

Assembly Bill 713

Relating to: access to and prior authorization for mental health services under the Medical Assistance program.

By Representatives VanderMeer, Tittl, Ballweg, Horlacher, Knodl, Kremer, Murphy, A. Ott, Quinn, Rohrkaste, Sanfelippo, Zepnick, Novak and Kitchens; cosponsored by Senator Harsdorf.

January 13, 2016 Referred to Committee on Health

February 03, 2016 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (11) Representative Sanfelippo; Representatives

Rohrkaste, Edming, Skowronski, Kremer, Tittl,

Petersen, Kolste, Zamarripa, Riemer and

Subeck.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Tanya Lettman-Shue Journey Mental Health Center
- Linda Hall WAFCA
- Shel Gross Mental Health America/WI Council on Mental Health, Matt Strittmater
- State Rep. Nancy Vandermeer 70th Assembly District
- Marcus Murphy WAFCA/FSM
- Marc Herstand National Association of Social Workers
- Don Rosenberg Shorehaven Behavioral Health

Appearances Against

• None.

Appearances for Information Only

Jon Hoelter - Dept. of Health Services

Registrations For

- Kyle O'Brien WI Hospital Assoc.
- Dale Decker
- Michelle Mettner Childeren's Hospital of WI
- Eric Jensen WI Psychiatric Assoc.
- RuthAnn Berkholtz Self & NASW

Registrations Against

None.

Registrations for Information Only

None.

February 10, 2016 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (11) Representative Sanfelippo; Representatives

Rohrkaste, Edming, Skowronski, Kremer, Tittl,

Petersen, Kolste, Zamarripa, Riemer and

Subeck.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Tittl, seconded by Representative Rohrkaste that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (11) Representative Sanfelippo; Representatives

Rohrkaste, Edming, Skowronski, Kremer, Tittl, Petersen, Kolste, Zamarripa, Riemer

and Subeck.

Noes: (0) None.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 11, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Rohrkaste, seconded by Representative Tittl that **Assembly Bill 713** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (10) Representative Sanfelippo; Representatives

Rohrkaste, Edming, Skowronski, Kremer, Tittl, Kolste, Zamarripa, Riemer and

Subeck.

Noes: (1) Representative Petersen.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 1

Joshua Hoisington

Committee Clerk